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APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO PTO'S NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

- 1. ☒ This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed March 13, 2001.
- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is attached.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any item referred to as being enclosed herewith) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Box Missing Parts, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on April 5, 2001.

Signature Toni Stanley
Toni Stanley
(Printed name of person certifying)

Also attached is an executed Declaration and an executed Assignment with an Assignment Recordation.

COMPLETION FEES

3. ☒ Surcharge fee is attached in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(l)).
☐ \$130.00 for a large entity;
☒ \$65.00 for a small entity.

PAYMENT OF FEES

4. ☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 65.00 (surcharge fee), and a check in the amount of \$ 40.00 (assignment recordation fee).

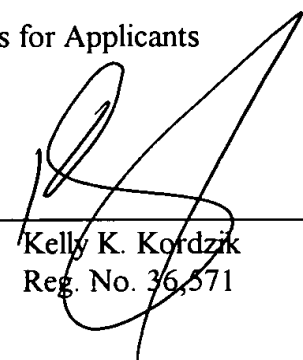
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- ☐ Charge Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. **A photocopy of this request is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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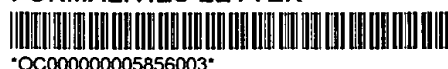
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e));

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